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Examiner:

A. K. Sanders

For:

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- 1) Transmittal Letter; and
- 2) Response & Amendment.

The Commissioner is specifically authorized to charge any required fee deficiency under 37 CFR § 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112 in connection with this matter.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 14, 2006

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2006. The shortened statutory period for reply expires on February 14, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Please amend the application as follows: